(SRI C. M. POONACHA)

additional work. However, recruitment will be undertaken and we have to reorganise the whole department and we will have to strengthen the staff to the extent required.

Sri U. S. NAYAK.—When will it be completed ?

Sri C. M. POONACHA.—In some cases suitable staff will have to be employed to undertake this special kind of work.

Unauthorised construction in Survey Nos. 353 and 146 in Pavagada Kasaba Village.

Q.—2817. Sri G. N. PUTTANNA (Tumkur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether S. Nos. 353 and 146 of Pavagada Kasaba village are situated within the limits of Pavagada Municipality;

(*b*) the owners of the said survey numbers;

(*c*) whether the said survey numbers have been alienated for non-agricultural purposes;

(*d*) if not, whether it is a fact that the owners of the said survey numbers have put up buildings therein;

(*e*) whether the authorities of the Revenue Department have taken any action against them for unauthorised construction of buildings on the agricultural land;

(*f*) whether the Municipality has taken action under section 112 of the Town Municipalities Act for unauthorised construction within the municipal limits ?

A.—Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH (Minister for Local Self-Government).—

(*a*) Survey Number 353 is within the municipal limits; Survey Number 146 is outside the municipal limits.

(*b*) S. No. 353—Sri M. Nagarathna Setty. S. No—146 Sri G. S. Darmapal.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) Yes, two thatched huts in first, and one room and verandah in the second.

(*e*) In respect of S. No. 353 under T. T. Action in respect of S. No. 146 is under consideration.

(*f*) No.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—You say that Survey No. 353 is within the municipal limits of Pavagada municipality and in answer to (e) you say that action in respect of S. No. 146 is under consideration. Is there a provision in the Land Revenue Code or rules to put up T. T. for lands which are within the municipal limits ?

*Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—Yes, if they are not alienated, if they are still revenue lands, they can be put up.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Since when have they put up these buildings ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—The date is not available.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Is it not a fact that Sri M. Nagarathna Setty is the Vice-President of the Municipality ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—I do not know.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—He is the Vice-President of the municipality. Are the Government aware that Sri G. S. Dharmapal is the son of the President Sri Shankar Setty ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—How does it arise ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಜಿ. ಎನ್. ಪುಟ್ಟಣ್ಣ.—ಈ ಜಮೀನಿಗೆ ಕರ್ಮಷನ್ ಫೈನ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಆರ್. ಚೆನ್ನಿಗರಾಮಯ್ಯ.—ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದರೆ ಅನ್ ಅಥರೈಸ್ಡ್ ಕನ್ಸ್ಟ್ರಕ್ಷನ್ ಆಗುತ್ತಿರಲಿಲ್ಲ.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Is it not a fact that Survey No. 146 belongs to the President of the municipality ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—It belongs to Sri Dharmapal.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—Is it registered in his name ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—That is what is stated.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—I want definite information.

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—It cannot be more definite than this.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—You have stated in answer to (*e*): "In respect

of S. No. 353 under T.T. Action in respect of S. No. 146 is under consideration." What is meant by 'under consideration' ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—The question as to what action is to be taken is under consideration.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—This building was built about five years ago. What is the reason to say that it is "under consideration" ? Is the Government willing to take action or not ? Has the Government instructed the officers not to take any action against these people ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—That is far from truth.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—Has this unauthorised construction in respect of S. No. 146 come to the notice of Government ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—Government came to know of it only after the question was tabled.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—Is there any agency within the limits of Pavagada which takes note of such unauthorised constructions ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—There is no agency. There are so many unauthorised constructions. The moment it comes to the notice of the concerned revenue officer, he will take necessary action.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—What is the action taken ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—The final action is, they have put up the T.T. In respect of Survey No. 146, the concerned party has put in his application for alienation. That question is pending before the Deputy Commissioner.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—If the party constructs something on the land, he cannot apply for alienation and get off.

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—But it has come to my notice that the Deputy Commissioner has reported that the party has applied for alienation.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—In answer to (f), you say 'No'. What does it mean ? Did the municipality bring to the notice of the appropriate authority or the Government that there has been such unauthorised construction in respect of non-alienated land ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—They must have brought it to the notice of the revenue authorities who have taken T.T.

Sri J. B. MALLARADHYA.—The answer is 'No'.

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—Under section 112 the municipality has not taken action.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—May I know whether the conversion fine had been paid or not by these two persons ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—Since this has not been alienated, I presume they have not paid the conversion fine.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—How long would it take to alienate it ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—As long as is necessary.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—I want to know whether the Government is aware whether they have applied or not for alienation and if so, when they have applied for conversion into municipal limits ?

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—They have applied for alienation of this land, but after the formalities are completed, they will pay the conversion fine and it will be alienated.

Sri G. N. PUTTANNA.—When ? That answer is not forthcoming.

Sri R. CHENNIGARAMAIAH.—That date is not available.

Repairs to Channels and Minor Irrigation Works in Chikmagalur Taluk.

Q.—2833. Sri A. M. BASAVE GOWDA (Chikmagalur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

whether they are aware that the repairing of channels and other minor irrigation works are not being taken up in Chikmagalur taluk ?

A.—Sri H. K. VEERANNA GOWDH (Minister for Public Works).—

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ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಎಂ. ಬಸವೇಗೌಡ.—ಮೈನರ್ ಇರಿಗೇಷ್ ನಂಬಂಧದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ಗ್ರಾಂಟ್ ಗಳು ಕಡಮೆಯಾಗಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಚಿಕ್ಕಮಗಳೂರು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲಸಗಳಾಗುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲವೆನ್ನುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ ?